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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
YASUO SUDA ) : Examiner: Not Yet Assigned  
Application No.: 09/604,964 ) : Group Art Unit: 2722  
Filed: June 28, 2000 ) :  
For: IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS ) : December 8, 2000

The Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A complete English language translation of the Japanese publication is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience. The Japanese publication may be pertinent for the reasons discussed at page 26 of the specification.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant submits that no fee is required for consideration of this information since, to the best of his knowledge, no Office Action has been mailed. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees necessary for consideration of this information to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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		<b>"Kogaku Gijutsu Handbook Zohoban" (Handbook of Optical Technology, Enlarged Edition), pp 172-174, 1975, Sakura Shoten</b>

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SECOND REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF  
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Sir:


As noted in the Request for Consideration of Previously Filed Information Disclosure Statement filed December 16, 2004, Applicant filed an Information Disclosure Statement in the above-identified application on December 8, 2000, along with a copy of one (1) document cited on the PTO-1449 form.

Applicant has not received a copy of the PTO-1449 form initialled by the Examiner to indicate consideration of the listed document. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider the document cited in the Information Disclosure Statement, and return the initialled copy of the PTO-1449 Form. A re-executed copy of the Information Disclosure Statement, and a copy of the postcard receipt date-

stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, are enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C., office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address below.

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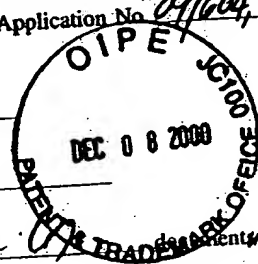
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